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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 41st Saturday in 1920 (9th October 1920).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday: This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920: This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5		Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
													This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		Seers.	Seers.	Seers.
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	0	97	0	00	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	" City & Taluk	1	68	1	07	19	94	28	97	—	9 03				
	Hoskote	0	79	0	33	12	24	21	61	—	9 37				
	Dodballapur	0	69	0	85	19	32	23	58	—	4 26	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·00	4·00	5·87
	Nelamangala	0	84	0	46	19	43	23	65	—	4 22				
	Kankanhalli	2	06	0	77	23	02	25	00	—	1 98	Ragi	7·00	7·00	12·62
	Magadi	0	82	0	62	24	49	25	31	—	0 82	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	10·25
	Channapatna	0	72	0	88	20	24	27	06	—	6 82	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·06
	Anekal	2	36	0	93	21	78	27	73	—	5 95				
	Devanhalli	1	69	0	65	13	99	23	97	—	9 98				
	Closepet	0	30	0	67	24	49	25	13	—	0 64				
	District average...	1	19	0	72	19	89	25	20	—	5 31				
KOLAR.	Kolar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	Report not received.		
	Bowringpet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Chintamani	...	..	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...				
	Mulbagal	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Sidlaghatta	...	...	...	...	....	...	...	...	...	...				
	Chikballapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Bagepalli	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Goribidnur	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Malur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Srinivaspur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Gudibanda	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	District average...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	1	40	0	50	20	22	24	77	—	4 55	Rice, 2nd sort	4·25	4·50	8·00
	Maddagiri	2	55	0	81	15	79	23	75	—	7 96				
	Chiknayakanhalli	2	32	0	71	16	08	22	42	—	6 34				
	Sira	1	63	0	89	15	95	18	57	—	2 62	Ragi	8·00	8·00	18·00
	Gubbi	1	50	0	87	17	16	28	51	—11	35	Kulthi	6·50	6·50	10·00
	Tiptur	0	42	0	50	9	67	18	25	—	8 58	Kadale	4·25	4·25	8·00
	Pavagada	0	50	0	57	8	12	18	98	—10	86				
	Kunigal	0	63	0	55	15	92	25	08	—	9 16				
	Koratagere	0	83	0	54	14	09	22	82	—	8 73				
	Turuvekere	1	55	0	84	11	52	23	73	—12	21				
	District average ...	1	33	0	68	14	45	22	69	—	8 24				

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1920									
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	2	62	0	86	15	98	22	48	— 6	50		Seers	Seers	Seers
	Chamrajnagar ...	2	54	1	04	15	33	18	51	— 3	18	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	6·80
	Seringapatam ...	2	56	1	32	14	66	19	34	— 4	68	Ragi	8·25	8·25	14·31
	Hunsur ...	3	06	1	19	21	72	22	85	— 1	13	Kulthi	7·00	6·75	13·44
	Yedatore ...	2	41	1	10	13	53	20	13	— 6	60	Kadale	4·50	4·50	7·33
	Heggaddevankote ...	2	29	0	88	35	86	28	34	+ 7	52				
	Gundlupet ...	0	86	1	47	17	75	20	57	— 2	82				
	Nanjangud ...	1	53	0	85	19	65	21	60	— 1	95				
	T. Narsipur ...	1	09	1	44	18	76	21	77	— 3	01				
	Malvalli ...	1	05	1	41	16	07	20	28	— 4	21				
	Mandya ...	0	44	1	27	16	29	19	95	— 3	66				
	Krishnarajpete ...	0	27	1	12	11	26	22	52	—11	26				
	Nagamangala ...	2	31	0	80	16	70	20	57	— 3	87				
	District average...	1	77	1	13	17	97	21	45	— 3	49				
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	1	71	1	00	21	42	25	51	— 4	09	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·00
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	1	19	1	57	70	02	77	80	— 7	78	Ragi	8·00	8·00	15·00
	Arkalgud ...	1	72	0	98	23	13	28	78	— 5	65	Kulthi	6·00	6·00	12·00
	Belur ...	1	46	1	15	25	46	31	90	— 6	44	Kadale	3·00	3·00	7·00
	Channarayapatna ...	1	05	1	48	16	43	24	26	— 7	83				
	Arsikere ...	1	11	0	58	14	06	20	51	— 6	45				
	Hole-Narsipur ...	0	53	1	22	12	11	21	46	— 9	35				
	Alur (Sub) ...	0	54	0	59	30	25	32	84	— 2	59				
	District average...	1	16	1	07	26	61	32	88	— 6	27				
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	1	85	0	89	27	46	26	07	+ 1	39	Rice, 2nd sort.	4 to 5·00	4·00	7·05
	Channagiri ...	2	70	0	72	24	60	25	76	— 1	16	Ragi	8·50 to 9·00	9·00	+15·57
	Honnali ...	4	39	0	36	19	03	18	92	+ 0	11	Kulthi	6·25 to 6·50	6·25	10·40
	Shikarpur ...	2	92	0	57	23	74	28	24	— 4	50				
	Sorab ...	2	78	0	84	45	40	54	08	— 8	68				
	Sagar ...	2	10	1	24	59	90	70	54	—10	64				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	75	1	51	89	68	90	83	— 1	15				
	Tirthahalli ...	0	95	1	35	96	18	109	20	—13	02				
	Kumsi ...	2	84	0	70	34	84	34	33	— 0	51				
	District average...	2	36	0	91	46	76	50	88	— 4	12				
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	1	60	0	91	16	36	27	27	— 10	91	Rice, 2nd sort.	4 to 6·00	4 to 6·00	3·50 to 5·25
	Kadur ...	0	80	0	93	11	10	16	72	— 5	62	Ragi	9 to 10·00	9 to 10·00	7 to 7·50
	Tarikere ...	0	50	0	86	22	44	28	15	— 5	71	Kulthi	5·50 to 6·00	5·50 to 6·00	5·50 to 6·00
	Koppa ...	0	76	1	94	91	43	96	54	— 5	11	Kadale	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00	3·50 to 4·00
	Mudgere ...	1	53	1	68	76	75	78	68	— 1	93				
	Narasimharajapura ...	0	52	1	44	56	55	66	22	— 9	67				
	Sringeri ...	2	63	2	49	129	16	124	42	+ 4	76				
	District average...	1	19	1	46	57	69	62	57	— 4	88				
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	3	33	0	40	17	63	18	50	— 0	87	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	7·50
	Challakere ...	0	43	0	41	5	78	15	19	— 9	41	Ragi	10·00	9·50	18·00
	Hiriyur ...	2	80	0	76	11	84	21	02	— 9	18	Kulthi	7·00	7·00	15·00
	Holalkere ...	2	65	0	77	15	74	20	22	— 4	48	Cholum	10·00	9·00	15·00
	Davangere ...	3	68	0	77	22	11	18	53	+ 3	58	Kadale	4·00	4·00	7·50
	Molakalmuru ...	2	23	0	63	15	18	20	43	— 5	25				
	Jagalur ...	3	21	0	53	23	54	16	23	+ 7	31				
	Hosdurga ...	2	54	0	95	14	86	19	42	— 4	56				
	Harihar ...	1	86	0	58	16	39	16	42	— 0	03				
	District average...	2	53	0	65	15	90	18	44	— 2	54				

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

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	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*		
Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort) ...	6·33	4·025	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14·23	7·22	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) ...	...	5·03	

Agricultural operations.—Weeding operation in the ragi fields is going on. Standing crops are good. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weeding operations are being completed in all the taluks and kulthi is still being cultivated in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, and Kankanhalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Potatoes in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. There was a general and fair rainfall during the week. Food stuffs are available but the prices continue to be high. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Plague prevails in all the taluks, except Hoskote, Kankanhalli and Closepet Sub-Taluk and cholera in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Public health is otherwise good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur, and Kankanhalli Taluks and Koraluroga in parts of Devanhalli Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

Report not received.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Horse gram in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks. Jola in parts of Sira and Tiptur Taluks. Navane in parts of Sira Taluk. Hutchellu in parts of Tiptur Taluk. Cotton in parts of Pavagada Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk, yield 8 annas. Groundnut in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks, yield 4 annas. Til in parts of Tumkur Taluk, yield 4 annas. And gidda ragi in parts of Pavagada Taluk, yield 12 annas.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, castor, til, jola, haraka, groundnut, avare, togari, black and green grams, chillies, cotton, hutchellu, navane and savé are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season fair.

11. Public health is good in all parts of the district, except for plague in parts of Tiptur Taluk Six attacks and 5 deaths from plague are reported during the week. People are being inoculated. Influenza in parts of Tumkur Taluk is reported to be subsiding.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy throughout the district. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Markets are adequately supplied, prices are as before.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Weed clearing is going on in Chamrajnagar, Malvalli and Nagamangala Taluks and paddy is being transplanted in parts of Chamrajnagar and Nagamangala Taluks.

Standing crops are paddy, ragi, togari, avare, horse gram, black and green grams, groundnuts, mulberry, halsandi, til and ramtil, castor, sugar-cane, cotton, tobacco, jolam, wheat, chillies, haraka and navane and they are reported to be in good condition. The Amildar of Malvalli Taluk reports that castor plants in the villages of Gundapura, Hosapet, Basavanahalli and Nandipura have been infested with a kind of insects.

Crops sown.—Ragi and black and green grams in parts of Gundlupet Taluk and horse gram in Nagamangala Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and jolam in parts of Heggaddevankote Taluk; and jolam, til and castor in parts of Gundlupet Taluk, sugar-cane is being milled in parts of T-Narsipur and Nagamangala Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. The outlook as regards crop is very encouraging everywhere. There have been good rains throughout the district.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague is reported to be prevalent throughout the district, except Nagamangala Taluk. Rats are reported to be dying in Sukkahalli village, Mysore Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Seringapatam, Hunsur, Gundlupet and Mandya Taluks. Cattle disease in Chennapillaykoppal of Malvalli Taluk is reported to be abating. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets have been fairly supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi and sugar-cane in the taluks of Hassan, Manjarabad and in Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy, jolam, avare and Kulthi in Arkalgud, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and doddaragi, avare, hutchellu and paddy in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Suga-cane in some parts of Hassan Taluk; giddaragi in Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

11. Plague prevails in Belur and Hole-Narsipur Towns, and in parts of Hassan, Arkalgud, Belur and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. Small-pox is reported to prevail in parts of Manjarabad Taluk. In other places public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, jola, horse gram and cotton are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

Crops harvested.—Areca is being harvested in parts of Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. More rain is wanted in the taluks of Shimoga, Channagiri and Shikarpur.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Channagiri, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks and at Gabbur, Kumsi Sub-Taluk, and small-pox in parts of Shikarpur and Sagar Taluks, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest in a few villages of Shikarpur Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy, ragi, fenugreek, gingelly, sugar-cane, cotton and jolam. Kadur Taluk.—coriander, jolam, kulthi and tobacco. Narasimarajapura Sub-Taluk—Ragi.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—sugar-cane, paddy, coffee, ragi, jolam, black gram and gingelly; Kadur Taluk—ragi, paddy, avare, arhar, sugar-cane, jolam, baragu, chillies and castor; Tarikere Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, jolam, arhar, kulthi and castor; Koppa Taluk—areca, cardamom, pepper, coffee and paddy; Mudgere Taluk—sugar-cane, coffee, cardamom, areca and paddy; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—coffee, sagar-cane and paddy; Sringeri Jahgir—areca and paddy.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition. It is reported that areca crop is damaged a little in the Koppa Taluk on account of Koleroga.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—green gram, black gram, potatoes and coriander, estimated yield 8 annas. Kadur Taluk—til, paddy and jolam, estimated yield 8 annas. Koppa Taluk—areca and cardamom, estimated yield not reported. Sringeri Jahgir—areca, estimated yield not reported.

10. Prospects of the season are favourable. Food stuffs are available. Prices continue to be high.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Kadur, Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of the Kadur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, paddy, jola, horse gram, castor, sajje, togari, cotton, navane, sugar-cane, green gram, til, alasandi, groundnut, avare and chillies are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Bilijola, kadle and wheat in the Chitaldrug Taluk; jola and horse gram in the Challakere Taluk; navane, cotton, horse gram and sajje in the Hiriyur Taluk; cotton and bilijola in the Holalkere Taluk; horse gram, savè and bilijola in the Davangere Taluk; paddy, horse gram, cotton, navane, savé and kadle in the Molakalmuru Taluk; horse gram in the Jagalur Taluk; bilijola, navane, horse gram and sajje in the Hosdurga Taluk; and bilijola and cotton in the Harihar Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Jola in the Chitaldrug Taluk (yield 8 annas); til and groundnut in the Davangere Taluk (yield 8 annas); til and green gram in the Hosdurga Taluk (yield 4 annas); til and groundnut in the Harihar Sub-Taluk (yield 8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season fair. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Foodstuffs are available, but prices remain high as usual.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague in certain villages of Davangere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks and of Harihar Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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